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LOVE VS. HATE OLD VS. YOUNG ART AS REVOLUTION



A group of young and hostile artists are collaborating with older, wiser artists who understand love is the law. Their goal is to bring a greater understanding to all, about how to create change in the world or, in the organizer's words "at the very least have a good time as we spin out of control and create some art that might tell our tales of woe and wonder."

While the hippies and yuppies of the 1960s hit the mark on love being vital for all and world peace the goal, many "dropped out" into their own realities rather than forging ahead, while Gen X and Y grew up angry and full of disdain for the system, committing aggressive actions or ascribing to total nihilism, they have

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not served to change the world for the better. How can this be fixed?

Every generation is called selfish and lacking by it's previous incarnation, the youth of the 1960s pushed to end a war with protests and marches, some of their tactics worked, some failed, many went on to join the system becoming bankers and brokers, others wallowed in poverty and delusion. Great art was created, environmentalism was born, and religion was pushed aside for spirituality. But this was also they generation of "Baby Boomers" that "Gave the world a Coke" and lived to consume by feeding their children on canned veggies and fast food.

The best of the 1960s, the Youth International Party, whose members were commonly called Yuppies, was a radically youth-oriented and countercultural revolutionary offshoot of the free speech and anti-war movements of the 1960s. The Yippie "New Nation" concept called for the creation of alternative, counterculture institutions (food co-ops, underground newspapers, free clinics, etc.). Yuppies believed these cooperative institutions and a radicalized hippie culture would spread until they supplanted the existing system. According to ABC News, "The group was known for street theater pranks and was once referred to as the 'Groucho Marxists'."

Abbie Hoffman wrote "We shall not defeat Amerika by organizing a political party. We shall

do it by building a new nation – a nation as rugged as the marijuana leaf."

Generation Xers grew up with the doomsday clock set at a minute to midnight, they watched Reaganomics destroy their educational system and the last powers of the union, they witnessed a new kind of conservatism come into power, one that instead of pushing for small government sold the government out to the highest bidder. When this generation was told they would be the first of the modern era to do worse than their parents they lashed out creating dark art like black metal, the movement of Aesthetic Terrorism and "activists" like Tim McVeigh who bombed the Oklahoma City Federal building as a protest against Waco. Gen X birthed the disdain that gave America the school shooter - the ultimate in hopeless youth that so many relate to whether they act on it or not.

Author John Ulrich explains that, "Generation X" has always signified a group of young people, seemingly without identity, who face an uncertain, ill-defined (and perhaps hostile) future."

According to noted authors William Strauss and Neil Howe, Generation X is "the 13th generation" to be familiar with the flag of the United States (counting back to the peers of Benjamin Franklin). The use of 13 is intended to associate the negative connotations of that number, highlighting the popularity of "devil-child" movies, wherein

children are portrayed as malevolent protagonists (e.g. Rosemary's Baby, Children of the Corn). The Youth of Today, Generation Y and Z, aka Millennials, are called the "ME" generation, and are considered narcissistic and self-centered. A recent study from the University of Georgia complained "The data analyzed here suggest that the popular view of Millennials as more caring, community oriented, and politically engaged than previous generations ... is largely incorrect," though they acknowledges that volunteerism among young people has increased. "Saving the environment, an area purported to be of particular concern to young Millennials, instead showed one of the largest declines."

"I was shocked," one of the study's authors, Jean Twenge, a psychology professor at San Diego State University, said in the AP article. "We have the perception that we're getting through to people. But at least compared to previous eras, we're not." (from DiscoveryNews.com)

They refuse to consider all that the youth of the America have grown up with - devastating oil spills, deforestation, they have never seen American made goods, only goods created in the sweatshops of China and Bangladesh. They have seen the extinction and endangerment of nearly every wild animal today, from wolves to rhinos. They have grown up with education being held over their heads like no other generation since pre-civil war slaves, **Cont. on pg. 6**

The Three Wise Men Of Words And Art

"The only thing you can guess about a broken down old man is that he is a survivor!" says the film *The Way of the Gun*, and these men are survivor's of the highest order. John Sinclair pushed for freedom and equality in his writing and his actions, as founder of the White Panthers and advisor to the MC5, he was targeted by police in Michigan and eventually was sentenced to ten years for selling two joints to a cop. Since his dramatic release - which included help form John Lennon, he has been an outspoken poet and activist.

Dave Archer came from the streets of San Francisco as a doorman of a small folk cafe, spending his days with the



three elders! Make sure to check out the website for more:
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